

LOCAL MENTION.

W. A. Gray, of Monroe county is in town.

Carl and G. C. Beard were in town Tuesday.

Dyer Gum, of Bartow, was in town Tuesday.

Jas. Gilbert was up from Beard Monday.

Crawford Gum is teaching the Clawson school.

Tom, little son of Dr. Yeager, is sick with pneumonia.

W. R. Sutton was here from Hosterman, yesterday.

Miss Mary Warwick, of Greenbank, was in town Tuesday.

Sandy Gay is over from Highland county for a few days.

Bishop Ed L. Warren, of Lewisburg, was in town yesterday.

A. C. Wood, station agent at Bartow, was in town Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Young, of Kendallville, Indiana, are in town.

The venerable Wm. Cole, of Huntersville, was in town Tuesday.

John Donnelly is at Renick repairing the Bank of Renick building.

Peter Cleek is dangerously ill at his home on Knapps Creek, with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Auther Arbogast have returned from their bridal trip to Detroit.

F. L. LaRue of Warm Springs, was here Tuesday night with his son Clyde LaRue.

H. M. Lockridge, L. M. McClintic and T. S. McNeel are in Charleston this week.

Dr. R. R. Vaughan, late of this county, has moved from Ethel to Holden, West Virginia.

J. S. Mathews and Mr. Smaeter of Cass, are in New York on the automobile show this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Brill spent Sunday at Burner, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Rexrode.

Mrs. Frank Anderson has returned from a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. K. Gay, of Buckhannon.

Jas. A. Kirkpatrick, of Thornwood, was in town Saturday on his way to Rockbridge county to visit his parents.

Miss McCanna, who has been in charge of Paul Golden's dress making department, has returned to her home in Baltimore.

Harry Robb is at Cass to take place of station agent, George English, who has gone to the hospital on account of sickness.

Clyde LaRue has bought the house and lot on Upper Camden occupied by C. C. Dunsmore, from the Pocahontas Development Company.

The Rev. R. H. Fleming of Baltimore, expects to go to Aberdeen, Scotland, and Zurich, Switzerland, to attend the General Presbyterian Conference and the International Sunday School Council.

Frank Good, of North Dakota, was here to see his sister, Mrs. R. C. May. Tuesday he went to Rockingham county, Va. He noted a marked contrast in the weather here and the 40 degrees below zero he left at home.

Glenn Arbogast went to Charleston Tuesday on his way to Wayne county where he has two singing schools engaged to instruct. He will also be in charge of the music at a meeting to be conducted by the Rev. J. M. Sutton, late of this county.

W. E. Poage and John D. Gay have been unloading car loads of corn here this week. It don't look exactly right that the good money of Pocahontas farmers should go west for corn but then if good Pocahontas farm land had been broken for corn maybe there would have been less money coming in for live stock.



Don't fiddle away your money you'll need it someday. Bank it.

The money you are fiddling away from day to day and week to week would look mighty good in the bank at the end of the year. It would look better at the end of next week, because when you once get a nest egg, it is no sacrifice to go without little unnecessary things to add to it, and in your old age it would look like a warm, warm friend; and PROTECT you.

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Jack Compton, aged 28 years, a woodsman, was frozen to death in Spruce mountain on the Horton Line, December 27. He had been cooking at a camp on the top of Spruce Mountain, one of the highest points in the State, and had gone to Whitmer to purchase supplies for his marriage to a Miss Lambert at Riverton, which was to occur the day following. Through the night a storm raged, little uneasiness was felt for Compton when he failed to appear, as he was a strong man and thought well able to take care of himself in the woods in all kinds of weather. However a search was made for him the next day, and it was found that he had strayed from the road and his tracks led to where he had perished in the snow. He was a native of Virginia and had spent time in Marlinton.

Howard McElwee has moved to his house at Minnehaha Springs. In the four years he was jailor of Pocahontas county, there was not a single jail delivery, and during that time there were a greater number of persons in jail and in the number more desperate characters than during the term of service of any other jailor. In addition to being a careful, painstaking officer, Mr. McElwee had a way of dealing with the unfortunate under his care that gained their confidence and respect. He instituted the trusty system at the jail—the plan of putting a man on his honor, in vogue in the few modern prisons in the United States. Not a man violated the confidence Mr. McElwee imposed.

Frank Fowler, aged 22 years, was brought to jail here Tuesday evening, on a warrant charging him with tampering with the mail matter when carrying the mail from Marlinton to Elk. The warrant has been in the hands of Sergeant Curry, of Seebert, since July, the alleged offense having been committed six months or more ago. The young man is a son of B. R. Fowler, a very respectable citizen of the Levels District and has always borne a good reputation.

Dick Smith, of Edray, has killed three fine red foxes, and the fox season has just begun.

CORPORAL PUNISHMENT UPHOLD

Miss Lula Flanagan was in Judge Smith's justice court Saturday on a charge of assaulting one Ellis McKenny, a son of J. V. McKenny. Miss Flanagan is teacher of the Mt. Pleasant school at Indian Draft, and had made a rule against shooting firecrackers on the school grounds. The prosecuting witness, Ellis McKenny, aged 13 years, in disobedience to this rule, put off firecrackers, and then refused to come up and take his whipping like a man. The teacher went back to his seat after him and he dodged and resisted her, and the result of it all was that the young fellow got a proper scolding. The parents of the boy felt aggrieved and started court proceedings. Judge Smith very rightly held that the boy brought the punishment upon himself and it was not unusual nor too severe under the circumstances, and dismissed the charge against the teacher. The judge in a few well chosen remarks gave some sound advice to parents as to their duty in teaching their children to respect and obey teachers. So popular was the verdict that the judge was loudly applauded by the large crowd that had gathered to hear the trial.

PARCEL POST DON'TS

Don't try to use ordinary stamps the distinctive parcel post stamps must be used.

Don't seal your package; wrap and tie securely.

Don't forget the name of the sender must be on the outside of the package.

Don't forget to mark your package "Perishable" when the contents are perishable.

Don't forget to mark your package "Fragile" when it contains breakable articles.

Don't forget to buy an insurance stamp for 10 cents; it insures up to \$50.

Don't try to send a package weighing over 11 pounds or measuring more than 72 inches in combined length and girth.

A copy of the Newton Nugget, of Jasper, Arkansas, has come to the desk. The paper has been resurrected by C. A. Monroe Meadows. We are glad to note that the Nugget stands for the world's disarmament.

Circuit Court next Tuesday, January 21. As no petit jury has been summoned, it is presumed the grand jury will not take up more than two days, making the term of court a short one.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Sharp, January 8, a daughter.

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THE SPORTSMEN'S ASSOCIATION.

Forty cans containing from 50 to 100 each of trout four to six inches long were received here Tuesday by the Allegheny Sportsmen's Association for distribution in Laurel, Douthards and Cochran's Creeks. The trout are from the governments hatchery at White Sulphur and is the second large consignment of trout to be placed in the streams. The greater length of these streams flow through lands owned or leased by the Allegheny Sportsmen's Association and formerly were full of trout.

The Association expects a herd of fifty more elk within the next three or four weeks. The government is reducing the herds in the Yellowstone Park by allowing each State a herd of not more than fifty head. State Game Warden has secured the fifty allotted to this State for the Allegheny range. Men are at work now catching the elk on their winter range. The elk will be brought to Marlinton, put in crates and hauled in wagons to Minnehaha Springs. They will be put in a large enclosure at first, but eventually turned loose in the woods. The Allegheny range is one of the best for stock in all this wooded region and has already proved a very suitable place for elk.

If the Association desires more elk it would seem that they were entitled to at least a part of the number allotted to the State of Virginia. These, we understand, have not been asked for. For the reason that much of the lands under lease by the Association lies in the Virginia counties of Highland and Bath, and all the lands to be restocked with game adjoins or lies in Virginia. In restocking this range with elk the Virginia woods will share in the benefit equally or more so.

The work of preparation for the big club house of the Association at Minnehaha Springs is being pushed, so that the work of erection on the foundation built last fall may be commenced at the first opening of spring. The month of June should mark the completion of the club house. It is expected that a number of members of the Association will erect cottages this summer. Judge Dice's cottage will be made ready for occupancy by a few weeks work.

Preparations are being made to fence in a thousand acres of woodland this season. Nearly a hundred acres is already under fence but this is hardly enough range for the herd of less than twenty elk. The land to be enclosed is a part of five thousand acres owned in fee by the Association. It extends nearly five miles up Knapps creek, just back of the farms, from Minnehaha Springs, to the top of the main Allegheny range; thence back to Rymel, and with the turnpike back to the club house. All the buildings and other improvements are on lands owned in fee by the Association though they have four or times as much boundary under lease than they own.

The golf course will be put in shape this spring, and with the fine watering resort adjoining and the good fishing, the club house will be needed as soon as completed to take care of summer visitors.

THE LEGISLATURE

Hon. Geo. W. Wilson, of Pocahontas county has been appointed on the following committees in the House: Forestry and Conservation, chairman; Military affairs, State Boundaries, Agriculture and Education.

The Senate has not as yet organized, though a step has been made in that direction by the fifteen Fusionists. Senators agreeing on Senator England as their choice. In the voting he and Senator French, Democrat, received fourteen votes each. The best guess, so the politicians tell us, is that when the Republican politicians get their wires set, they will come across and effect the organization of the Senate. At the present uncertain stage of the senatorial game the organization of the legislature might force some boys play.

Governor elect Hatfield has expressed the hope of an early settlement of the dead-lock in the Senate and has gone on record as favoring a caucus by the Republicans for the purpose of nominating a senator. However twenty-four legislators have bound themselves to thwart the machins politicians and will not go into a caucus. We understand our representative is one of them.

Dead letter list for week ending January 11.
Bennington, Albert
Bludso, R. M.
Feaster, Bert
Harris, Elmer
Jackson, Will
Judy, Mrs. H. D.
Lambdin, Rev. M. B.
Lawson, Oscar
McNeel, Miss Anna
Roby, Miss Luella
Taylor, Mrs. George
Wickline, Frank
Cards: Byrd, Miss Ressie
Fowler, S. D.
Hill, Charles
Johnson, Mrs. Melvin
Smith, Miss Edith P.
Thompson, Miss Bessie
Unless claimed will be sent to dead letter office January 25.
A. S. Operholt, P. M.

January 16th

GOLDEN'S

January 27th

January Clearance Sale

Hundreds of shoppers visited the store on the first day our Annual January Clearance Sale, and from the comments heard on all sides none event away disappointed. There were literally hundreds of genuine bargains in every department to be taken advantage of. None were slow to recognize the tremendous price concessions. We propose to make this sale an event to be remembered in the merchandising history of Marlinton, by giving better values for less money than has ever been attempted by any merchant before all that will be necessary to convince any one of the truthfulness of this statement is for them to visit the store, examine the goods and note the prices.

DRY GOODS

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| Standard Percales 80 count best grade 91-2c | Lace Curtains 39c pr. regular price 62 1-2 | CRASHES |
| Curtain Drapery 27 in. wide 7c | Lace Curtains by the yd 36 in wide 9c | Scotch Craft crash 7 1-2c |
| A full line of American and Simpson prints 5c | White Hemed croched quilts 75x84 in. 95c regular price \$1.50 | Glazed checked crash pink and blue 8c |
| Lancaster gingham 6 3-4 | Cut cornered fringed croched quilts 75x84 in. 98c regular price \$1.75 | Bleached and unbleached cotton toweling 5c |
| Shepherd checks 28 in wide black and white 9c | Bleached linen waist- ing 36 in wide regular 50c value 29c | Bleached linen crash 15c quality 11c |
| Unbleached Russian crash 12 1-2c quality 9c | Embroidery linen 45 in wide 75c grade 59c | Brown sheeting 81 in wide 18 1-2c yd. |
| Bleached Damask table cloth, regular 30c val 19c | Polar plaid woolen blankets pink and white, brown and white 11-4 regular 4.50 val 3.29 | Bleached sheetings 76 in wide 19 1-2c |
| Irish Linen table cloth 65 in wide 39c | Amsterdam 10-4 cotton blankets 69c | Pillow cases regular 15c value 9c |
| Mercerized table linen 64 in wide 29c | Woolnap blankets in plaids \$1.29 regular \$2.00 | Genuine Puritan pillow cases 42x36 11c |
| Very best grade table linen 2 yards wide \$1.50 quality 98c | Standard size fancy comforters 1.50 val 79c | Empire sheets 81x99 in the largest made 1.00 value 69c |
| Napkins to match at reduced sale prices. | | Puritan seamed sheets standard size 39c |
| Duckling fleece merimack brand 18c qual 11c | | Fancy table oil cloth 45 in wide 15c |

CLOTHING

- Men's winter weight suits in good weight worsteds and cassimers dark colors \$4.85, \$7.95, \$9.48 and 12.95. A cut of one half from original price for this special sale.
- Boys' double breasted and juvenile suits with knickerbocker pants, which we guarantee to be lower than you can purchase elsewhere. We have a large assortment all sizes and colors, 98c, \$1.48, \$1.98, \$2.19 and \$3.79, you must see these goods to appreciate the value.
- Men's heavy ribbed imitation Switts-Condee underwear 39c
Men's Jaeger Fleece underwear extra heavy all seams covered 39c
Ladies' Union Suits \$1.00 quality 68c
Boys' Fleece Lined shirts and drawers 19c
Boys' Fleece Lined Wrights Health underwear 39c
Boys' Fleece Lined heavy weight union suits 39c
Men's Gray and Navy Blue Flannel Top shirts some with military collars \$1.00 val 79c
We have complete line of Riches Wool Top shirts double and single breasted in heavy weights also light weight dress flannel shirts at sale prices.
- LADIES' HATS**
Will close out all ladies' fall hats 98c
Will close out all children's fall hats 48c
- HOSIERY**
We have a full assortment of ladies' and children's Iron Glad Wool Hose 19c
Ladies' Silk finish hose 8c
Superior quality ladies' cotton hose 6c
- TOWELS**
Hemstitched Honey Comb Towels 19c each
Hemstitched mercerized towels 18c each
Cotton Towels red borders 18x40 in. 9c each
Cotton Towels red borders 16x28 in. 5c each
Bleached Turkish Bath towels 16x36 11c each
- OUTING FLANNELS**
All outing flannels dark and light collars plain and stripes full width 28 in. 8c yd.
Heavy weight fancy striped feather ticking 14c yd.
Heavy weight fancy striped feather ticking 14c yd.
- FURS**
We will close out our entire stock of furs 50c on the \$1
- DRESS GOODS**
French serges navy blue dark red and brown 36 in. wide 39c yard.
Navy blue messaline 36 in. wide 79c yard.

PAUL GOLDEN

Marlinton

West Virginia.

The fish car was here Tuesday and left 25 cans of yearling trout for Williams River and 40 cans for the streams on the lands of the Allegheny Sportsmen's Association

The Governor has granted pardons to all men serving time in prison for convictions in the military courts in the strike regions.

The warm days and frosty nights of the past week have put the sugar trees to running. This gives promise of a long, good sugar season.

At the congregational meeting held at the Presbyterian Church Sunday, to pass upon the question of a new church, a committee on plans and specifications composed of E. D. King, Z. S. Smith and Mrs. T. S. McNeel, and a committee on ways and means, composed of Calvin W. Price, J. A. Sydenstricker, E. H. Wade, E. F. McLaughlin, were appointed to report at a congregational meeting to be held the third Sunday in February.

NOTICE.
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, on the 21st day of January, 1913, will apply to the Circuit Court of Pocahontas county, West Virginia, for state license to carry revolvers and other weapons as provided by Section 7 of Chapter 51 of the Acts of the Legislature of West Virginia, for the year 1909.
This 6th day of January, 1913.
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